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Method For Usage Billing In

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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified patent application.

| []  | verified statement(s) claiming small entity status        |  |  |  |  |  |
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|     | [] are also enclosed [] was submitted previously.         |  |  |  |  |  |
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In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 11, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the outstanding rejection(s) of the claims in view of the amendments and remarks that follow.